

HOWARD COUNTY

COUNCIL BILL NO. 25

AN ACT to add new Section 20.311A of Title 20 of the Howard County Code, Title "Taxation and Public Credit," subtitle "Water and Sewer Charges and Assessment" to follow immediately after Section 20.311 ~~[[there]]~~ thereof to establish a Supplemental In-Aid-of Construction Assessment to be collected to finance the cost of improvements to the Savage Sewage Treatment Plant, which improvements do not qualify for State and Federal grants, and to provide for the allocation of sewage treatment capacity and to provide for the payment by said benefited properties of the Supplemental In-Aid-of Construction Assessment.

Section 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF HOWARD COUNTY, MARYLAND, that new Section 20.311A of title 20 be and it is hereby added to the Howard County Code, Title "Taxation and Public Credit," subtitle "Water and Sewer Charges and Assessments," to follow immediately after Section 20.311 thereof and to read as follows:

20.311A - SUPPLEMENTAL IN-AID-OF CONSTRUCTION ASSESSMENT

IN ORDER TO FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION OF ADDITIONAL SEWERAGE IMPROVEMENTS AT THE SAVAGE TREATMENT PLANT (HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS "IMPROVEMENTS") WHICH ~~[[IMPROVEMENTS]]~~ DO NOT QUALIFY FOR STATE AND FEDERAL GRANTS, THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS SHALL COLLECT, IN ADDITION TO ALL OTHER ASSESSMENTS AND CHARGES PROVIDED FOR IN THIS TITLE, A SUPPLEMENTAL ASSESSMENT FROM EACH PROPERTY OWNER BENEFITED BY ~~[[SUCH]]~~ THE IMPROVEMENTS, FOR WHICH STATE AND FEDERAL GRANT WILL NOT BE RECEIVED. ~~[[SAID]]~~ THE ASSESSMENT SHALL BE KNOWN AS SUPPLEMENTAL ASSESSMENT IN-AID-OF CONSTRUCTION AND SHALL BE COLLECTED AS A SPECIAL ASSESSMENT FROM THOSE PROPERTIES BENEFITING FROM THE IMPROVEMENTS AS DETERMINED FROM TIME TO TIME BY THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS. THOSE PROPERTIES SO BENEFITING (HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS "BENEFITED PROPERTIES") SHALL BE DETERMINED BY THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS. IF DEEMED NECESSARY, THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS MAY ALLOCATE USAGE OF